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G. COOK CHARGED OF MURDER

A sensational turn to the Wainwright murder case occurred Monday, when G. Cook, a well known resident of that town, was arrested charged with killing W. B. Crawford, another prominent citizen residing there. Cook was arrested by Detective Nicholson of the provincial police department, and an officer of the mounted police. He was brought to the city at night and came up for hearing Tuesday afternoon, but the case was immediately adjourned to a later date.

Early in May last Crawford, who was a prominent business man of Wainwright, mysteriously disappeared, and for some weeks no trace of him could be found. There was apparently no reason for this unusual disappearance and for a time the case baffled the police. Clue after clue was followed unsuccessfully. But the provincial authorities and the mounted police never gave up the search, and finally the body of the missing man was discovered buried in an unused well on a farm said to belong to Cook, the accused.

A medical examination aduced the fact that Crawford had been murdered, and the activities of the police were increased. There was, however, little to lead them to a solution of the mystery, the chief clue and that faint one, being that the murdered man had on the day of his disappearance received a telegram which called him from his home to his office about ten o'clock at night. He responded to this call and this was the last seen of him alive.

The telegram clue has been followed assiduously for some weeks by Detective Nicholson, and the typewriter expert goes to the operator at Tidaholm from where the message was sent, so closely resembled that of the work of a typewriter to which Cook had access, that suspicion was directed towards him, and this suspicion was strengthened by business dealings which might have furnished a motive for the crime—Edmonton Bulletin.

Edmonton, Aug. 27.—T. G. Cook of Wainwright, arrested on a charge of murdering W. B. Crawford, of the same town, about the first of May last, came up for his preliminary hearing yesterday afternoon at the R. N. W. M. P. barracks here, and was remanded to Wainwright, where the hearing will be continued on Monday next.

Calgary, Aug. 25.—With Calgary wheat quoted at the highest price ever known since the exchange opened, farmers are joyously looking to the garnering of a \$30,000,000 crop in Alberta. Cutting is completed and threshing returns coming into Calgary tend to show that the crop is of far better grade, while the quantity of grain has been under-estimated hitherto.

The embargo on the exportation of sugar from Kingston, Jamaica, imposed recently by the local authorities, has been removed except to countries hostile to Great Britain.

Billy Beamish had the misfortune to run a rusty tank into his foot while playing the other day, and is laid up with a very sore foot.

THE WAR

So far as can be gleaned from official announcements, the great battle line along the French frontier and in Belgium continues to be the scene of engagements between the opposing armies. The nature of these engagements and their results have not been made public, beyond admission by the French war office that in the north the French and British lines have been moved back a short distance, as well as the French right in the region of St. Die. The French troops on the offensive between Nancy and Vosges are said to be making headway.

From Antwerp comes the announcement that the Belgian troops have compelled the fourth German division, advancing southward, to retreat its steps. It is added in the official statement that the fourth Belgian division at Namur has fulfilled its task of arresting the German column, and allowing the Belgians to retrace on the French lines.

Paris, Aug. 26.—According to Englishmen arriving from Mons, the British army was attacked six times by six different bodies of Germans and beat them all off. They estimate the English casualties at 2,000. The report that the Germans made a rout about the Prussians the French African troops had difficulty in getting over the bodies to attack the Prussian guards.

Kaiser Und Gott No More"

(A Pendant to "Hoeh der Kaiser") I like not barterships all, Meisnself und Gott between, Mistakes most every day are made;

I wish it never been.

I want some dings vich he don't like.

Und he also do same, He help me sometimes nod at all.

Und den I get de blame.

To fix dose pig-tail fellow east I send our Heinrich out, Mein best brass knuckles on his fist.

To show vhat I'm about.

Dose English-Yankees, dey was dere, Dey laugh det woylsh laugh, Mein ships, dey say, dey was no good.

But strong, dey say like chaff.

Now why did Gott dose English make.

Und Yankees und such dings? De English on me blayed von drick.

Vish sorrow to me brings.

Dot fool my mutter dey send here.

I want not dare to watch, Und Gott at my grandmother vished.

Ven she made dat match.

I qvit dot bartership schust quick.

Mitt Gott I work no more, I do things better mit meinself As never was before.

A. M. Sutherland.

FOUND.—A child's imitation bear-skin coat on Lamerton trail. Owner can have same on paying for this ad. Apply at THE JOURNAL office.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

Subscriptions received in aid of Mrs. J. Clark and family: H. Keisel, \$5.00; J. M. Wright, \$2.00; Hengel Bros., \$2.00; F. Morrison, \$2.00; G. Robinson, \$2.00; M. Whitecotton, \$2.00; L. H. Cassidy, \$1.00; New Guskill, \$1.00; H. A. Thomas, \$1.00; George Thomas, \$1.00; F. A. Atlee, \$1.00; E. Henderson, \$1.00; J. K. Hobson, \$1.00; Chas. Durrant, \$1.00; T. S. Little, \$1.00; F. A. Day, \$1.00; P. M. Carmichael, \$1.00; W. G. Murphy, \$1.00; Miss B. Barton, \$1.00; J. H. Sauton, \$1.00; F. E. Merle, \$1.00; A. R. Moll, \$1.00; E. A. Binkley, \$1.00; D. S. Adams, \$1.00; James Scott, \$1.00. Total \$63.50. Deposited in Bank \$63.50. The list is still open and may be seen at The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Miss Barton has been suffering from neuralgia for several days this week.

The duck season opens on Sept. 1.

The Misses Todd, of Alix, were visitors in town (Thursday and today) (Friday).

W. C. McCormick is a business visitor in Edmonton for a couple of days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Calvert have gone to Edmonton where they will make their home for a short time.

In Alix, Alberta, on Tuesday, August 18th, 1914, Mr. Ernest Hutchinson and Miss Ethel Alice Webster, both of Mirror were united in holy wedlock.

The tying of the nuptial knot was performed in St. Pancras church, by the Rev. O. Creighton. Mr. and Mrs. H. Beleb witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson will reside in Mirror.

Chas. Durrant is away for a portion of his holiday, and is spending the time on Buffalo Lake.

Misses Jennie and Irene McCall of Cochrane, Sask., are visiting with their mother E. E. at the Imperial hotel, and may remain for the winter months. Walter Heagle, sr., returned with them to Mirror.

We are sorry to state that Owen Robinson is in a precarious condition, but hope he will recover before long.

Word comes from Edmonton that J. W. Nichols is recovering rapidly from an operation performed recently. At one time small hopes were entertained for his recovery. We are pleased to chronicle his convalescence.

The Mirror Public School re-opens on Tuesday, Sept. 1st, with a staff of three teachers. R. L. Pretty is principal; Mrs. Bolch has charge of the intermediate room; and Miss Cassidy, the primary.

Hunger May Bring Peace to Europe

New York, Aug. 25.—Hunger will bring peace in Europe, in the opinion of Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, who arrived today on the Prince Di Udine after the European war had interfered with his plans to visit the German Emperor in response to a personal invitation.

Renew Your Subscription NOW

A WARNING AGAINST FOOD PRICES

Ottawa, Aug. 24.—The following statement dealing with food prices was given out by Premier Bowden this evening:

"While the action of the majority of dealers throughout the country during the present crisis has been characterized by the sense of fairness and justice, nevertheless several complaints have reached the government that arbitrary and burdensome increases in the cost of certain necessities of life have been made in some localities without any sufficient or substantial cause or reason. Under these circumstances it is desirable to have it generally known and understood that under the wide powers which have been conferred upon it by parliament, the government has the right to investigate and to deal promptly with any case or cases of unjustifiable increase or any oppressive or unfair towards the laboring and artisan classes and generally those possessed of small fixed incomes is most strongly to be condemned and will demand the exercise by the government of all the powers at its command."

The collier Storstad is back in part as good as ever. This is her first appearance in Montreal since she sailed the Empress of Ireland off Father Point on May 29th last.

Mrs. E. A. Heagle and daughter, Fern, left this afternoon (Friday) for Calgary, where they will reside for a couple of months.

SEASONABLE GOODS

Tanglefoot Fly Papers, 2 for 5c, .25¢ doz. sheets; Fly Pads, 10c—\$3 for 25¢; Monument Fly Catcher, special 5c each; Insect Powder, Insect Powder Guns.

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SLEEPING IN CHURCH.

It Used to Be Rudely Interrupted in Olden Times in England.

One Judge is on record as having been interrupted in his sleep in the Tower of Tewkesbury, in Gloucestershire, England, 20 shillings a year to be paid to "a poor man" sent to go to sleep in a church in summer to keep people awake.

At another English church, that of Acton, in Cheshire, it was the practice during Lent to make a service for the poor in one of the churchwardens' rooms with a huge wad in the chimney whereupon the congregation were observed to be asleep he was instantly awakened by a tap on the head.

In another church, a similar custom prevailed. A warden bearing a stout wand shaped like a bay fork at the end stepped suddenly up and down the aisle and the people who were sleeping saw an individual seated before them so effectually that the nap was broken; this being sometimes accomplished by a sharp rap on the back of the nap of the neck.

A more playful method obtained in another church. The head warden during Lent would have a long staff, to one end of which was attached a fox's bridle and to the other a knob. With the former he would tickle the face of the women sleepers, while with the knob he bestowed a sharp rap on the heads of male offenders.—Exchange.

ORIENTAL APT PUPILS.

It Doesn't Take Long to Get the Chinese Way of Doing Things.

About the time of James or Biggest student at Harvard has come to know his way about the campus he has forgotten to prefix "honorable" to his name. He has learned to speak only dimly that he must be saluted to his elders, and he wears a cap with as carefree grace and comfort as any other freshman.

If six weeks will make such transformation in the oriental six months will no change. And yet even his little ways have differed since his master was first glance. And he can say, "You get me. Harold don't you, and I like it." And "I like best it is as though I was born here."

A tutor over to Cambridge takes oriental students in charge as soon as they arrive at the university and instructs them in the ways and means of acquiring a working knowledge of English. In making no difference between them, however, he had an education in the English language or not before they left home.

The Chinese of the Orient are quick, intelligent, and eager to learn. Also, according to their teacher, he uniforms a lot of oriental things.—Boston Herald.

How to Bell Water.

To bell water, and yet to be a very simple thing. And yet the late Charles Delmonte used to say that very few people knew how to do it.

"The secret is," he said, "in putting your hand into a clean cloth and setting it quite warm and setting the water to boiling quickly and then taking it right off for use, tea, coffee, or other drink. Then it is to be set to steam and simmer and evaporate on the good water in the atmosphere until the water is clear. When it is fully left in the kettle it will make a great many people sick, and it is worse than that road that leads to you."

You must bring your purchase home. "Good-bye, my lord. There is your way away to me," said Mr. Delmonte did not consider it advisable to continue this discourse. He took the man talk, and, after a few minutes, said, "I am sorry to say, my lord, that you are mistaken, my lord, this is the road that leads to you."

"I am certain, my lord, that you are right," said the man. "I am sure that you will buy my little white rabbit this moment," said the lord.

"With the greatest pleasure," said the man, who had recognized his former victim.

"What is the price of it?" "With the greatest pleasure," said the man, "I'll tell you for once—a hundred pounds."

"In cash or in a check?" "I'll tell you for once," said the man.

The butcher counted out the money on the counter, Lord Pelham put it in his pocket, and then took the basket and the rabbit on the counter and—these bills were evenly settled.

The man was terrified and stared at Lord Pelham.

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To Build New Ocean Port.

It is reported from Ireland that a company with a guaranteed capital of \$450,000,000 has been formed to build a new railroad from Collooney Junction in Sligo, to Belmullet, on the coast of Mayo, and to extend the line to a seaport, to build harbor works adapted for the locking of ocean steamships. The railroad will be built to a gauge of 5 ft. 3 in. designed for the heaviest traffic. At Collooney Junction the railroad will connect with the Great Western and Midland and Western, and with the Midland Great Western, so that passengers can be landed at Dublin, or to any of the ports of Ireland, as well as Scotland and England. It is estimated that a million tons of coal will be moved in the transmission of transatlantic mail and passengers to and from London.

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Don't Sound Right.

"Ma, what does d stand for?"

"Doctor of divinity, my dear."

"What are the common abbreviations in school?"

"Oh, yes, but that doesn't seem to mean much here."

"How is it load, my dear?"

"My dear friend—"Witness—I

hear the defendant say, "I'll make you suffer for it; I'll be doctor of divinity if I don't!"—Milwaukee Sentinel.

His Kind Heart.

Country girls married men seem to have a lot of time to sit around the depot and stores

New Newton—You see, squire, I'm

so soft hearted, I've got to let them

sit around the bus stop and watch my wife so hard.—Washington Times

Genius Economy.

Business We must begin to economize.

Wife Yes; I began today by cutting all your cigars lengthwise, so

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For the Children

Fortunes Told
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For this game provide a large tub of water and small candies for time. The candies are to be put in the water and mounted on bits of wood by means of a pair or thin nail driven through it. Each player then takes his little boat and the another is at high tides, quickly as possible. The owner of the candle that comes the longest will be the next guest of the party. The luck is to be awarded to the person with the fortunate winner for the ensuing year.

The Game of Gossips.

The game of gossips is played thus: One of the company invents a story, a secret, saying nothing, say in about a dozen lines. This he reads to himself carefully and then folds up out of sight. Taking the person next to him, he tells him the secret as accurately as can be what he has written.

Number two repeats this to number three, and so it passes round till it reaches the last player. The last person recites the story, and it is then seen that the secret has not been told. It is never the same, and the secret is generally very amusing.

Thus one of a row game.

This game is called "Dumb" as it is written eloquently across the American Atlantic monthly because a suffering friend used to write to take the life of Sustained. The game has given birth to a fortune of £60,000.

While the original document was

one by Wm. Holmes, who has

written so eloquently in the American

Atlantic Monthly for the cause of the suffering friend, it is now known as

the game of gossips.

It is also known as the game of Boniface VIII. It was enacted that

cardinals should wear robes of royal purple, and the purple usually ap-

pears only at Lent and Advent, when

it is to be distinguished from

bishops by the red skull cap, biretta

and stockings.

Can Control His Muscles.

A man recently exhibited himself in London with a said gave extraordinary muscle manipulation and stopping the beating of the heart before death, and the like, by the words "Lord." By years of hard work, care and study, and intense concentration of the mind, the master can manipulate his muscles to an extent never before deemed possible in man. He can make his muscles to such an extent that "one arm can make the triceps, quiver and move by the will." More than this, he can stop the beating of his heart for more than 20 seconds and then start it again at will, thereby defying nature. There is no authentic case of this having been done, but it is published. It is also claimed that this performer can remain under water for eight minutes and that he can live for a protracted time when buried.

Napoleon and His Tutor.

Napoleon was a good soldier, but he could not spell. His handwriting was always bad, and he was a poor reader. He used indecipherable characters to conceal the fact that he had not learned to read and could not do French orthography. In the early days of the empire a man of modest talents presented himself before the emperor.

"Who are you?" asked Napoleon.
"I am a teacher," he replied. "Please give writing lessons to your majesty."

"Give me a lesson," said the emperor, with vivacity. "I consider you on your success." Never had a teacher received a pension upon his old master's.

The Cardinal's Red Hat.

To the Cardinals of Flanders, no tradition has it, the cardinals were their hate. She complained to Pope Innocent III that the cardinals could not distinguish cardinals from abbots and other great personages of the church. The Pope, however, in 1243 prescribed the red hat to represent the miter, and red hat it has remained ever since. The cardinal's red hat is to be worn at all times, and the purple only at Lent and Advent, when it is to be distinguished from bishops by the red skull cap, biretta and stockings.

Orange Blossoms.

Much uncertainty exists as to why the orange blossom has been so much used in America. The most common opinion seems to be that it was adopted as an emblem of fruitfulness. According to the legend, the orange blossom was derived from the tree of Sarcandy, regarding which orange blossom was regarded as a symbol of fruitfulness. Snobbs, who has a collection and a fortune of £15,000—"Philadelphia Ledger.

HELD BY A COBRA.

Agency of a Prisoner in a Military Jail in India.

In the military confinement of India the punishment consists while are about 100 feet high and 100 feet square, stand separately. There are no windows, but one side is a grille, the front being about five feet high.

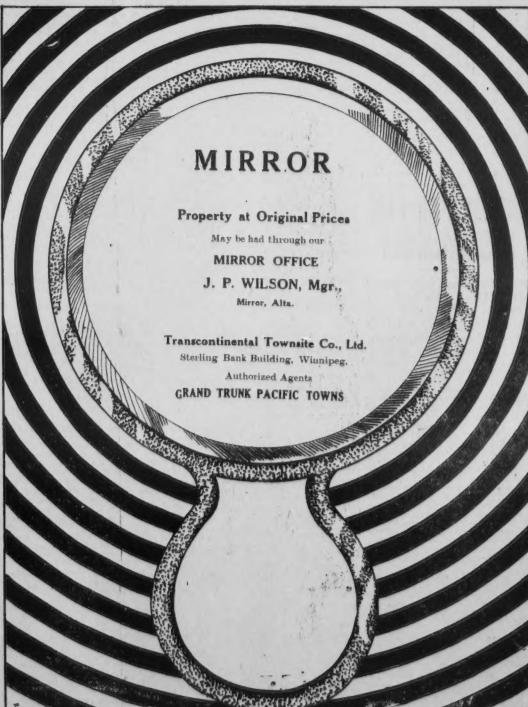
On one occasion when a private was confined in one of them a large cobra, one of the most deadly reptiles in India, crept into the cage and wriggled on the bed to get warmth. It curled upon the prisoner's chest, and was just about to turn when, feeling the movement, struck at the snake's glittering eyes staring into his face. He dared not move, so he had to lie in that position for four hours.

At 8 o'clock, when the sergeant went his rounds, he found the snake prisoner was in and was for a long stick. With another soldier he entered the cell, and they drove the snake into a corner, where they killed it. The soldier remained in prison as he thought he had suffered enough punishment in the terrible experience he had gone through. The man's hair was turned white with the mental strain which he had endured.—London Standard.

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Myself—und Gott

This seems to be a rather opportune time to reproduce A. M. R. Gordon's celebrated skit "Hoch der Kaiser," which, since its first publication in the Montreal Herald in October, 1897, has on occasion added to the gaiety of nations and made trouble for individuals. Gordon, the writer, was a journalistic soldier of fortune—a highly educated Scot, who, after an earlier professional career in Scotland, became a wanderer on the face of the earth. At one time he edited a newspaper in Medicine Hat. Gordon died in Montreal about 15 years ago. This is the portion:

*Der Kaiser of his Fataleland
Und Gott on high all dings command,*

We two—ach! Don't you understand?

Meinself—und Gott.

He reigns in Heaven, and always shall,

Und mein-ein Empire don't was small;

Ein mobile bair I thinks you call Meinself—und Gott.

Vile some men sing der power divine;

Mein soldiers sing "Der Wacht am Rhein"

Und drink der health in a Rheinish wine

Of Me—and Gott.

Dere's France, she swaggers all around,

She's ausgespielt,

To much we think she don't amount,

Meinself—und Gott.

She will not dare to fight again,

But if she should I'll show her blain

Dot Elass (and in French) Lorinne

Are Mein—by Gott.

Von Bismarck was a man auf might,

Und douht he was glear ond auf sight,

But ach! We was nicht good to fight

Mit Me—and Gott.

Ve know him like an man of straw,

Ve let him know whose vill was law,

Und dovt ve don't would stand his jaw,

Meinself—und Gott.

Ve send him out in big disgrace,

Ve gift him insult to his face,

Und put Captive in his place,

Meinself—und Gott.

Und ven Captive ket syelled heut,

Ve very promptly on him set,

Und told him to get up and get,

Meinself—und Gott,

Dere's grandmas shite she is nicht small beer,

Mit Boers und such she intertere;

She'll learn now eows dis hemisphere

But Me—and Gott,

She dinks, good frau, some ships we shite

Und soldiers mit der scarlet gout;

Ach! Ve could knock them!

Pouf! Like dat,

Meinself—und Gott.

In times of peace bubre for wars
I bear the spear and helm of Mars,
Und care not for ten thousand Czars,
Meinself—and Gott.
In fact; I humor efry whim,
With aspect dark and visage grim;
Gott pullis mit me, und I mit him,
Meinself—and Gott.

New Homestead Map

A new edition of a very interesting "Cereal" Map of Alberta is just available from the Railway Lands Branch of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa. From year to year an annual map, known as a "Homestead" Map, showing graphically the land situation, has been issued from the Department, but when the size and importance of the large areas allotted from the Crown as shown on this map has been taken in consideration the question has arisen "What is being done with the land?" The Cereal Map is an attempt to answer this question in the clearest manner possible, and so far as grain-growing is concerned, enables one to tell at a glance what particular variety of grain is being successfully grown in each township, or district.

The acreage devoted to the four leading grains in every township is indicated on the map by means of circles drawn in a different colour having been used for each of the principal grains, and the total space covered by the circles in each township representing the exact area which has been devoted in that township to the production of the four leading cereals. A number inside each circle gives, to the nearest thousand, the total acreage in each township which has been devoted to the production of a certain cereal.

The table information given on the map shows the acreage planted, production in bushels, and yield per acre, of the principal grains since 1883 (the earliest record), down to the present time.

The information has been obtained from the Provincial Department of Agriculture at Edmonton and the Census and Statistics Branch of the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa.

A copy of the Alberta or the Manitoba sheet of the publication may now be obtained free of charge upon application to F. C. Lush, Superintendent of Railways Lands, Department of the Interior, Ottawa. An additional sheet covering the Province of Saskatchewan is also in course of preparation and will be available at a very early date.

Twenty-two Austrian reservists leaving Welland, Ontario, for Austria have been arrested at Bridgewater and 14 more in Niagara Falls.

BOTHA TAKES THE TROPHY

In Three Hard Fought Games, Win Two. First Two Games Shut-Outs; Third Game A Swat-Fest. One Whallop For The Circuit

Mirror again was called upon to defend the famous "Brewer Trophy" when both the challenging teams played Mirror in a double-header on the latters ground on Thursday afternoon before a crowd of 300 baseball fans. The first game called at two p.m. proved one of the most exciting games ever played here the home team winning 20.

Dickenson on the mound for the local pitched airtight ball, being also effective in the pinches, five hits being garnered off his delivery, he also getting twelve strike-outs to his record. Pitman on the mound for the challengers also pitched good ball, also getting twelve strike-outs while the locals managed to touch him up for eight hits, and neither pitcher allowing a score until the eighth inning, when Mirror managed to get two across, both being made at the plate by sensational slides by Murray and Easterman.

Easterman on third played a star game for the locals getting four hits in four times up, one being for two bags, he made one run and accepted four chances which he handled perfectly, making also a double play unassisted, Murray on short played a good game accepting four chances besides making a double play unassisted and figuring in the run column. The score is as follows:

Murray ss	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Cundal 1f	4	1	1	1	4	2	0	0
Murray ss	4	1	1	1	4	2	0	0
Vanless c f	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Easterman 3 b	4	1	4	1	4	0	0	0
Grant r f	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
A. Cundal 2 b	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	0
Iveson 1 b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dickenson 2 b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Botha 1 b	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pitman 3 b	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Wallace 1 b	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Mirror 0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Botha 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Umpires, J. Fadden and K. Crutchfield, Mirror.

Struck out by Dickenson, 12, Pitman, 12; bases on balls, off Pitman 1; stolen bases, Easterman 1; Grant 1; left on bases, Mirror 7, Botha 5; two base hits, Easterman, O. Hall, Brown; three base hits, Moore; sacrifice hits, Vanless, Iveson; 2 double plays, unassisted, Murray, 2; no errors.

The second game of the series was called at five o'clock sharp, and a good exhibition of ball was somewhat marred by a light shower of rain through out the game. Thielan took the mound for the locals and Brown for the opposing team pitched good ball, but Botha won the contest by the score of 4-0.

Brown had the locals eat-

ing out of his hand, only one pair being registered off his south paws, deliveries while he got nine more strikeouts to his credit. Thielan getting eight with six hits made off his delivery. Pitman playing third for Botha in this game made a new kind of a hit getting one off the ground, and scored two of the visitors runs, this being one of the six hits that Botha seemed in the habit of pulling off which kept the Mirror infield guessing.

Murray ss	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Cundal 1f	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Murray ss	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Easterman 3 b	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Grant r f	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
A. Cundal 2 b	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Iveson 1 b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dickenson 2 b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Botha 1 b	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pitman 3 b	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Wallace 1 b	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Mirror 0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Botha 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Umpires, Ross and Crutchfield, Mirror.

Struck out by Thielan 8, by Brown 19, bases on balls, off Brown 3; stolen bases, Thielan, R. Snyder; left on bases, Mirror 4, Botha 5; two base hits, R. Snyder; sacrifice hits, Wallace (2), wild pitches, Thielan 2, Brown 1.

And in the third game Mirror took the cup. Good by Mirror, trophy, we hold you for a moment. After a win each, the contestants went into battle this (Friday) afternoon with the home team the favorites, in fact no money was to be had.



This is how Easterman and R. Cundal blamed themselves for striking out so often besides some other players.

At the end of the first innings Mirror had a lead of three runs, the local team taking kindly to Pitman's offerings. After the first, Pitman went in again although Mirror collected 10 hits; they were kept well scattered. In the eighth Mirror tallied thrice. Botha bunched their hits and this with several costly errors gave them a substantial lead that was impossible to overcome. Botha also pulled off three double plays.

Taken altogether they were three good games; the best that have ever been played in the mirror.

Murray ss	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Cundal 1f	5	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Murray ss	5	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Easterman 3 b	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Grant r f	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
A. Cundal 2 b	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Iveson 1 b	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Smith c	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Dickenson 2 b	4	1	1	0	3	1	0	0
Botha 1 b	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pitman 3 b	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Wallace 1 b	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Mirror 0	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Botha 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Brown had speed to burn and the shower helped some.

O. Bell 1f	5	1	2	3	0	0	0	0
R. Snyder 2f	5	2	1	1	0	3	0	0
H. Ball ss	20	0	5	1	0	0	0	0
Wallace 1b	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pitman 2b	4	2	2	3	0	0	0	0
Botha 4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mirror 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Botha 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Botha 6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Umpires, Hoppus, Alix, and Cairns, of Mirror.

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